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[Reports to the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service.]

Summary of work in Chinatown, San Francisco, for the week ended August 20, 1904.

The following is received from Passed Assistant Surgeon Blue, under date of August 22:

Week ended August 20.

Buildings reinspected	272
Rooms	2, 022
Persons inspected	2, 661
Sick	19
Sick prescribed for at Oriental Dispensary	13
Dead examined	6
Necropsies	2
Rats examined bacteriologically	34
Number showing pest infection	0
Places limed and disinfected	241
Times streets swept	3
Sewers flushed	13
Blocks covered with Danyz virus	8
Notices sent to abate plumbing nuisance	9
Abated	8
Undergoing abatement	9
Total number plumbing inspections	116

Transactions on account of smallpox in northern Maine, Canadian border.

Report of sanitary work in the Madawaska region.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Hammond reports, through Surgeon McIntosh, as follows:

Week ended August 13, 1904: Number cases smallpox under supervision, 14; previously reported, 14; new cases, 0; houses under quarantine, 3; persons vaccinated, 0; miles of territory covered, 60.

Transactions on account of yellow fever at Laredo, Tex.—Fever in vicinity of San Diego.

Acting Assistant Surgeon MacGregor reports, through Passed Assistant Surgeon Richardson, as follows:

SAN DIEGO, TEX., August 9, 1904.

One new case of fever, seen to-day—a child, age 3 years, sick seven days, was brought in from a ranch 12 miles from here. Two other children have been sick with the same fever; one, age 9, died after 18 days' sickness—the other, age 7, is now sick at the ranch. I shall visit the one here to-morrow morning and send you specimen of blood.

Some cases are still prevailing at Alice; no cases that I am cognizant of at either Hebbronville or Realitos.

It has been very warm and raining in San Diego and vicinity.

Conditions at San Diego—Case of fever.

SAN DIEGO, TEX., August 16, 1904.

Conditions are improving fairly in San Diego. One case of spinal meningitis, a child aged 13, brought from the vicinity of Benavides, died here last night.